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TAGS: PINT, IN

SUBJ: POLICE FIRING IN MADRAS

REF: NEW DELHI 13321

WITH REGARD TO OCTOBER 3 PRESS REPORTS ON POLICE FIRINGS IN MADRAS, CONGEN MADRAS REPORTS THAT THE DEATH TOLL IS AT LEAST FIVE WITH MANY MORE INJURED. THE FIRING WAS APPARENTLY ORDERED AFTER A SECTION OF THE ONE MILLION STRONG CROWD SURROUNDING THE BUILDING WHERE DECEASED CONGRESS LEADER K. KAMARAJ LAY BECAME UNRULY AND BEGAN THROWING BOTTLES AND STONES. THE POLICE REPORTEDLY FIRST RESORTED TO TEAR GAS, THEN WARNING SHOTS AND FINALLY FIRED INTO THE CROWD TO QUELL THE DISTURBANCE. WE HAVE NO INFORMATION SUGGESTING THAT DISTURBANCE WAS POLITICALLY MOTIVATED.
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